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THE OBSERVER.

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NEWS AND COMMENT.

THERE doesn't seem to be any gushing affection worth speaking of between HARRISON, the "boodle" President, and REED, the "boss" Speaker of the House. The President, like all other intellectually and morally very small men, is very jealous of his dignity; and, when the political gladiator and "slosher" from Maine struts and blusters in the august presence as he did a few days since, it is like rubbing the fur the wrong way on a cat's back. However, it is none of our funeral.

AFTER a suspension of only a day or two—not caused by financial difficulties, but by apparently friendly differences as to the business management—the Asheville *Citizen* again appears, as bright and entertaining as ever. Its discontinuance would have been a serious loss to North Carolina and a serious deprivation to North Carolina journalism. We are especially glad that still at its head is Col. JNO. D. CAMERON, one of the most scholarly, graceful and trenchant writers in the State.

PUBLIC opinion seems to be settling down to the general conviction that John Wannamaker is running the Government Post Office after the manner of his Philadelphia store—on the "Cheap John" principle, and is using his position to advertise his business. Consequently, at every onslaught of the press John chuckles in his sleeve; for however contemptible he may be shown to be, it advertises him all the same. Such men as he care not for the kind of notoriety they gain, so it is notoriety.

IT begins to look as if the "race problem" would cause more of dismay in Radical ranks in North Carolina than anywhere else. While the immigration of the colored people to Mississippi and Arkansas is not likely to disturb Democratic equilibrium in those States, their departure from our borders will inevitably lose to the Republicans the only Congressional District to which they have any claim, though they have hitherto captured one or two others through the apathy of the whites.

COMPARATIVELY few people are aware that above the plowing steamers, puffing ferry-boats and gliding sails upon the Hudson River between New York and Jersey City, men are day after day delving like moles beneath the bed of the stream. But such is the fact, and has been for many years. An English syndicate, with ample capital, has now taken the work in hand, under contract to finish it without pause or interruption, and in a few years the traveler will enter the great American metropolis underground, penetrating to its very heart almost before he realizes his arrival.

THE Washington *National Democrat* calls attention to the fact that we now have about as do-as-he-pleases President as ever sat in the White House, caring no more for the American people than if the American people had no existence; and it also takes occasion to remark very pertinently that the people care about as little for the President as the President cares for the people. "Ladies and gentlemen," said the showman, "I will now exhibit to you Daniel in the lion's den; Daniel is easily to be recognized by a blue cotton umbrella under his arm, and you will observe that Daniel doesn't care a d—n about the lions, and the lions don't care a d—n about Daniel."

THE general impression seems to be that the real cause of the present illness of the Czar of Russia is concealed from the public, the probability being that "la grippe" is innocent of having caused his prostration, but that Nihilist poison in his food aimed to accomplish his taking-off. Barring his affliction in the recent death of his wife, who had been the faithful partner of his joys, triumphs and sorrows for forty-six years, the deposed Emperor of Brazil is a far more enviable man than the "Great White Czar of all the Russias," who wakes with a start of terror from his midnight sleep, and seeks each day to find murder lurking in his glass or concealed in the food that sustains his life.

IN the current number of *Belford's Magazine* is a posthumous article by the late Jefferson Davis on Andersonville Prison. Giving not his own opinions and views but facts of record, Mr. Davis conclusively proves that those who contrived and consented to the conviction of Capt. Wirz were as guilty of a cruel judicial murder as were those who plotted the execution of the unfortunate Mrs. Surratt. But what does it avail? The Forakers Ingallses, Shepherds and all the rest of the pestilential crew must flaunt the "bloody shirt" and discharge their bile!—

"Let Hercules himself do what he may,
The cat must mew, the dog must have his day."

By the way, this paper on Andersonville Prison has a history. It was written by request for the *North American Review*, and was suppressed by the editor, Allan Teorndike Rice, until his death, when it was delivered up to the publishers of *Belford's Magazine* only after repeated peremptory demands. You see, this article on Andersonville Prison hurts.

LATEST NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD.

The free mail delivery began in Asheville January 1st. ——C. C. Barbee, aged 70 years, father of Edward B. Barbee, of Raleigh, died on the 1st inst. ——The following fourth-class postmasters have been appointed for North Carolina: J. Inical, at Stony Point, R. W. Walker, at Virgil. ——The Henrietta Cotton Mills will enlarge their capacity soon, and will rank among the large mills in the South. ——Congressman Scott's Pennsylvania Colliery has suspended operations, throwing 1,000 miners out of work. ——Hon. Georg H. Boker, formerly Minister to Turkey and Russia, died at his home in Philadelphia on the 2nd inst. ——The strike among the Belgian colliers is still spreading. At Liege 1,200 miners have joined the movement. ——There are 40,000 cases of "la grippe" in Munich. The epidemic is spreading in Dresden. ——Lord Salisbury's physicians report that he is progressing favorably and is out of danger. ——Governor P. W. McKinney was inaugurated on the 1st inst., Judge Lewis of the Supreme Court administering the oath of office. The Governor went at once to his office, where he received many callers. The legislative hall was densely crowded. The Legislature convened on the same day. ——The *Siecle* has advices from St. Petersburg that the Czar is still confined to his room, and that his doctors fear a complication in his case. ——The *Freeman's Journal* says it has strong reason to believe that Lord Salisbury will dissolve Parliament at the earliest moment. ——Horatio Allen, who ran the first locomotive engine ever propelled over a track in this country, died on the 30th ult. at his home in Montrose, N. J., at the age of 88 years. He was a civil engineer of marked ability, and had made many useful inventions. ——The London *Star* says that the marriage between Miss Gwendoline Caldwell, of America, and Prince Murat has been again arranged. Prince Murat, the *Star* says, will accept any allowance that Miss Caldwell may grant him. ——A telegram from Lima, Ohio, says: Calvin S. Brice, chairman of the National Democratic Committee, is a victim of "la grippe." He is confined to his house by his illness. ——Browning is laid to rest in Poet's Corner, Westminster Abbey. ——A Charleston, S. C., dispatch says: Barnwell is quiet. Citizens of Blackville and Hamburg, who helped to protect the town, have gone home. There is no cause for alarm.—— At Atlanta, Ga., the house of Annie Martin, white, was burned, and Mrs. Martin was burned to death in it. She lived alone and was sick. It is supposed an incendiary caused the fire. ——T. C. Pewer, Republican, has been elected United States Senator from Montana; he is the defeated candidate for Governor. ——The down-town shops of the Edison Electric Light Company, in New York, were destroyed by fire on the 2nd inst., putting out eighteen thousand incandescent lights; loss $100,000, which is covered by insurance. ——The governess of the Princess was burnt to death in the fire which destroyed the Royal palace at Laeken, Belgium; the library was not destroyed, as first reported. ——Over four hundred cases of influenza are reported among the prisoners in Clinton prison, New York. ——A heavy rain storm prevailed in St. Louis on Wednesday night, the 1st inst., which greatly demoralized the electric wires, and several persons came near losing their lives by coming in contact with some wires that were prostrated; a pet dog was instantly killed by stepping on a wire, and a lady who went to his relief was thrown some distance and fell unconscious; a horse was also killed by stepping on a wire. ——A railroad collision occurred near Savannah, which wrecked both engines and slightly injured several passengers. ——In the Superior Court, at Wilmington, Del., Mrs. Elizabeth McComb obtained a verdict of $2,204,100 against the Southern Railroad Association. ——Mr. Parnell has received a citation to appear as co-respondent in the divorce suit brought by Capt. O'Shea against his wife. ——An engineer was killed and several passengers injured by a railroad wreck, on Wednesday night, the 1st inst., near Pine Bluff, Ark. ——During the progress of a bull fight in a Mexican town, the plaza fell, in which ten thousand persons were crowded; fearful scenes ensued, but while many persons were badly injured, no one was killed. ——Gov. Fowle has authorized an exchange of courts between Judges Brown and Bynum whereby the former will hold those in Bladen, Columbus, Brunswick, Anson, Cumberland, Robeson and Richmond, while the latter will hold those of Caldwell, Ashe, Watauga, Mitchell, Yancey and McDowell. ——Eleven hundred and forty negro exodusters passed through Raleigh on the 1st inst. for Mississippi. Many hundreds more will leave Goldsboro for same destination. ——It is not yet positively decided that the next session of the North Carolina Teachers' Assembly is to be held at Morehead City. The people of Asheville are making efforts to induce the Executive Committee to hold the next session at that point.—— Adjutant-General Glenn reports that the actual effective strength of the State Guard at this date is 1,505. ——La grippe has made its appearance at Wilmington. ——The Hessian fly is reported as doing considerable damage to the oat crop in some sections. There is a great desire for cold weather to kill out the insects. ——The Croatan Indians are determined to run the outlaws out of Robeson county. It was a Croatan named Lowery that captured Purdie Jacobs. The latter made a desperate resistance, and Lowery was compelled to shoot him before he could effect the capture. Jacobs is also a Croatan. ——Dr. W. H. McNairy died recently at his home in Guilford county. ——J. L. Hanner, an employe at a saw-mill at Greensboro, was fatally injured while at work. A plank was thrown back by a saw and struck him in the stomach. Death resulted in twenty-four hours. ——It is the intention of the Richmond & Danville Railway to complete the road from Winston to Wilkesboro by June 1st, even if it requires work both by night and day. ——Five new factories were built and put in operation at Hight Point during 1889, and others will be built this year. ——Goldsboro made an excellent record during 1889. There was not a business failure in that place during the year.

A Few Facts and Fictions about the Moon.

For the Observer.]

"The moon, governess of floods,
Pale in her anger, washes all the air,
That rheumatic diseases do abound,
And, through their distemperature, we see
The seasons alter."
—*Midsummer Night's Dream.*

The old, long-since exploded notion as to the baleful effects of moonlight has impressed itself even upon our language. When we begin to talk about the moon we are at once in danger of being considered "lunatics" or "moon-struck" lovers, who, by common consent, are supposed to take more interest in the subject than people in their right senses. But, disregarding this danger, let us see if we cannot find a few interesting facts or fictions about the moon.

Everybody knows what the moon is—that it is the satellite, or companion, of the earth, and our nearest celestial neighbor, though hardly within visiting distance, as it is nearly a quarter of a million miles away, and that it shines by the reflected light of the sun; and everyone is familiar with the ordinary lunar phenomena—phases, tides, eclipses, etc.

But to the scientific astronomer the study of the moon's *motions* is most interesting, and from it has resulted the discovery of nearly all the grand laws governing planetary motions. In brief, the moon has three motions: its annual revolution in company with the earth in their orbit around the sun, its monthly revolution in its orbit around the earth, and its monthly revolution, or turning over, on its own axis. All the ordinary lunar phenomena result from these three simple motions.

It is evident that if the moon revolved around the earth in the same plane, or surface, in which the earth revolves around the sun, there would be one eclipse of the moon and one eclipse of the sun in every month, for there would be one point in the orbit, at which the moon's body would be interposed between the sun and the earth, shutting out the light of the sun from the earth, and causing an eclipse of the sun, and also another point in the orbit, at which the earth's body would be interposed between the sun and the moon, shutting out the sun's light from the moon, and thus causing an eclipse of the moon. But the plane of the moon's orbit and the plane of the earth's orbit are not coincident; they are inclined to one another at a considerable angle, so that there cannot be an eclipse of the sun and the moon every month, but only when the sun, moon and earth happen to be in the same straight line, which can take place only when the new moon, or full moon, crosses the plane of the earth's course around the sun.

Now, it must be remembered that all heavenly bodies attract one another under the operation of the great universal law of gravitation. The moon's motions depend mainly upon the attraction of the sun and earth. If it were attracted by the earth alone, it would move in an even, regular course around the earth; but the sun is continually drawing, pulling and twisting it out of this regular course, and distorting its orbit around the earth. These "perturbations," however, are what are called "*compensatory*," *i. e.*, they do not permanently alter the shape of the moon's orbit, and the relative positions of the moon's "nodes," or crossing-places of the earth's orbit, repeat themselves after long cycles or periods of time.

One of these cycles is the "Zaros," or "Chaldean Period," of 223 lunations, or 18 years, 11 days and a fraction of a day. At the end of this period the sun, moon and earth occupy very nearly the same relative position with reference to the moon's node that they occupied at the beginning of the period, and any phenomenon which was the result of that relative position will then be repeated. For instance, there was a total eclipse of the moon January 28th, 1888; there must be a similar eclipse 233 full moons, or 18 years and 11 days, thereafter—about February 8th, 1906; and as there was a total eclipse of the moon July 22nd, 1888, there must be a similar one about August 2nd, 1906. Each eclipse of every year belongs to a different series of eclipses, and will be repeated at the expiration of its own "Zaros," for 77 appearances.

This 18 year and 11 day period was known to the ancient Chaldeans 2,000 years before Christ was born, and by means of it they predicted lunar eclipses with considerable accuracy. Solar eclipses, of course, are governed by the same law of repetition, but the Chaldeans could not predict their recurrence for the reason that a solar eclipse is visible upon a very limited area only, and then for but a few minutes, as it cannot be seen except upon that portion of the earth where the moon's shadow actually falls; while an eclipse of the moon can be seen wherever the moon itself is visible, *i. e.*, on an entire hemisphere at the same time. So the Chaldeans had no data upon which they could verify their predictions as to solar eclipses, their field of observation being limited to their own country.

Another very interesting period is the "Metonic Cycle." The time from one new or full moon to the next succeeding new or full moon is a lunation, or lunar month, and is a little more than 29½ days; the time from one vernal equinox to the next succeeding vernal equinox is the solar year, and is a little less than 365¼ days; but the product of 29½ by 235 is very nearly equal to the product of 365¼ by 19; therefore, at the end of 235 lunations, or 19 years, the new or full moon will occupy almost identically the same position with reference to the vernal equinox that it occupied at the beginning of the epoch. This period of 19 years is called the "Metonic Cycle." It is of very great importance, particularly in religious matters. In all those calendars in which the year is divided into lunar months it fixes the beginning of the year, and upon it depend the times of celebration of the Jewish Passover and the moveable festivals of the Christian Church.

DUNCAN ROSE.

(To be concluded next week.)

Simple Treatment of Cold in the Head.

Put one tea-spoonful of powdered camphor in a cone-shaped vessel filled with boiling water and covered with a cornucopia, the top of which is then torn off just enough to admit the nose, and the warm camphor vapor is inhaled for ten or fifteen minutes. A repetition of this procedure after four or five hours will generally suffice to effect a cure.

It is said that roaches may be exterminated if a thoroughly mixed powder, consisting of 37 parts of borax, 9 parts of starch and 4 parts of cocoa, is liberally sprinkled in the little cracks and corners of their rendezvous. The experiment is worth trying, at any rate.

Little River Academy Dots.

For the Observer.]

We will once more intrude ourselves upon the readers of the OBSERVER, but will promise to be as brief as possible under the circumstances. Our little hamlet has had so many visitors during the holidays, and so much news (?) "on the go," that to write a very brief letter would be impossible.

Some of our farmers spoke of planting corn until the cold rain of last Monday set in, driving such an idea from their minds, and reminding them that winter is now upon us. Business was almost entirely suspended for the holidays until Monday last.

An entertainment given at the residence of Rev. D. D. McBryde on Friday evening, 27th ult., was much enjoyed. It was complimentary to Miss Phifer, of McColl's, S. C., and other visiting young ladies. The pleasure of the crowd was added to very much by exceellent music by Miss York, the accomplished music teacher of Little River Academy, on the organ, and Mr. M. J. McKay, our honored postmaster, on the violin.

The Presbyterian Sunday School Christmas tree was the event of the week for the young folks. The Debating Society gave quite an entertaining "party" on Thursday night, during which the audience was held spell-bound for about half an hour by the eloquence of that masterly young orator, Master Willie Walker.

The young people of the neighborhood enjoyed very much a pleasant "sociable" at the residence of Mr. S. J. A. Darden on Thursday evening, to which occasion Miss Katie D. McKethan, of Fayetteville, added her charms and graces.

The Young Men's Christian Association was highly entertained on Sunday evening last by a very instructive speech of about fifteen minutes from Mr. R. L. Ryburn, Secretary of the Shelby Association.

The following were among the visitors in our midst during the Christmas holidays: Mr. and Miss Valentine at Mr. R. H. Byrd's; Mr. Crocker, of Virginia, at Mr. C. Parker's; Prof. G. T. Adams, of New Berne, at Mr. W. G. Adams's; Mr. Gus Evans at Dr. F. Smith's; Messrs. R. L. Ryburn, Shelby, F. L. Faison, Warsaw, Dr. W. F. Faison, Jersey City, N. J., Mr. Chas. Rankin, Fayetteville, at Rev. D. D. McBryde's, where Mr. D. D. McBryde, Jr., is also spending a brief vacation. Mrs. Bagley and family, of Raleigh, spent Christmas week with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hodges; Miss Claude Stinson, of Davidson College, with Miss Belle Williams; Mrs. S. W. Tillinghast and family, of Fayetteville, with Mrs. T. D. Williams; Mr. J. A. Williams, of Georgia, with Mr. Jno. Williams; Mr. Henry Elliott, of Georgia, with his sister, Mrs. Williams; Miss Lawrason with Miss Clara Hodges; Miss Rose Smith spent the holidays at home.

Misses Frank and Kate Faison and Bessie Robeson, of Smithville, came over to the entertainment on Friday evening. Dr. J. M. Boyette has gone to Lilesville—*they* will return some time next week. Prof. Farrell is spending the vacation with his family at Trinity College. COR.

Good Manners.

Good Housekeeping.]

Be rude to none; rudeness harms not even the humblest and poorest to whom it is directed, but it injures the exhibitors.

Never urge another to do anything against his desire, unless you see danger before him.

Always give precedence to elders, visitors and superiors. Offer them the best seat at the table, the best place by the fire, and the first of everything. Go farther than mere form, and see that they are comfortable and happy.

Be not ostentatious in dress or deportment; nothing can be more vulgar. See that costumes fit the time and occasion.

Never try to outshine, but to please.

Do not ask another to do what you would not be glad to do under similar circumstances.

Do not make witticisms at the expense of others which you would not wish to have made upon yourselves.

Never talk or laugh aloud in public places or upon the street.

Never treat superiors with servility or inferiors with arrogance. Speak as kindly to a day laborer as to one occupying a high position.

Never needlessly wound the vanity of another, or dilate unnecessarily upon disagreeable subjects.

Never intrude ill health, pains, losses or misfortunes.

Never omit to perform a kind act when it can be done with any reasonable amount of exertion.

Never unavoidably wound the feelings of a human being.

Never forget that vulgarity has its origin in ignorance or selfishness.

Remember that good manners are thoughts filled with kindness and refinement, and then translated into good behavoir.

Importance of Personal Cleanliness.

Very many people do not keep the skin active and healthy as they ought; the fear of catching cold leads them to neglect to maintain perfect cleanliness of the body, and, as the functions of the skin are impaired, the work of throwing out waste material, which rightfully belongs to it, falls upon the internal organs, which will bear the imposition for a time, and will labor to do the work forced upon them, but will, sooner or later, become weakened by the strain. Then the waste of the system accumulates within the body and assists in depressing the vital forces. Thus by neglecting to keep the skin in a healthy state, many a person becomes dull and sluggish and disinclined to mental or bodily effort; all the organs concerned in life share in the disturbance, and become indolent and torpid. The need to maintain perfect cleanliness of the body is, if possible, greater in winter than in summer—a fact which but few appreciate; and to the neglect of this essential may be attributed much of the sickness prevailing in cold weather, which really ought to be the healthiest portion of the year.

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So confident are the manufacturers of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy in their ability to cure chronic nasal catarrh, no matter how bad or of how long standing, that they offer, in good faith, the above reward for a case which they cannot cure. Remedy sold by druggists at 50 cents.

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Causes of Thunder.

Prof Hirn]

"The sound which is known as thunder is due simply to the fact that the air traversed by an electric spark—that is, a flash of lightning—is suddenly raised to a very high temperature, and has its volume considerably increased. The column of gas thus suddenly heated and expanded is sometimes several miles long, and as the duration of the flash is not even a millionth of a second, it follows that the noise bursts forth at once from the whole column, though for an observer in any one place it commences where the lightning is at the least distance. The beginning of the thunder clap give us the minimum distance of the lightning, and the length of the thunder clap gives us the length of the column. When a flash of lightning strikes the ground, it is not necessarily from the place struck that the first noise is heard. A bullet whistles in traversing the air so that we can, to a certain extent, follow its flight, the same thing also happening with a falling meteorite just before striking the earth. The noise actually heard has been compared to the sound produced when one tears linen. It is due really to the fact that the air rapidly pushed on one side in front of the projectile, whether bullet or meteorite, quickly rushes back to fill the gap left in the rear."

Cold Feet.

Many persons do not properly care for their feet, using cotton stockings, and thin shoes in winter, and sitting with damp feet. Women go about their household work with feet inadequately protected, while cold currents of air cause a difference of 40 deg. near the floor. Some become used to cold feet, so as not to feel the chill, the continued coldness having contracted the blood vessels and destroyed the sensibility of the nerves. Some go to bed in a cold room with their feet still cold, to have them further chilled with a cold bed. The feet sustain a close nervous relation with the rest of the body. Good health cannot be enjoyed unless the blood circulates warm and strong in the extremities. Mothers should make sure that their children's feet are well clad and warm. The rule in winter should be woolen stockings and thick-soled shoes, and rubbers in wet weather. Extra soles of felt, cork or pasteboard may be used to advantage. Cold feet should be soaked at night in quite warm water.

Miss Liberty, who holds aloft the torch on Bedloe's Island, in New York Harbor, rejoices in what is literally an iron constitution, and so we don't think it worth while to recommend to her the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. But this is the one great exception which proves the rule. For all the rest of womankind the "Favorite Prescription" is indispensable. The young girl needs its strengthening help at that critical period when she is blossoming into womanhood. The matron and the mother find in it invigoration and relief from the numerous ills which beset their existence. And ladies well advanced in years universally acknowledge the revivifying and restorative effects of this favorite and standard remedy. The only medicine for women, sold by druggists, *under a positive guarantee* from the manufacturers, that it will give satisfaction in every case, or money will be refunded. This guarantee has been printed on the bottle-wrapper, and faithfully carried out for many years.

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JUDGE SHEPHERD'S OPINION.

WASHINGTON, N. C., June 13, 1886.

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WASHINGTON, N. C., July 20, 1886.

It is with pleasure I add my grateful testimony to the hosts of witnesses who have attested the virtues of Mrs. Joe Person's great Remedy. After years of debility and suffering, it has proven to me the best of tonics and blood purifiers. An obstinate, irritable ulcer on my ankle, from which I suffered agony for years, seems to have healed entirely and healthfully under its purifying effects, and my general health has greatly improved.

MRS. S. T. BROWN.

DR. J. H. McADEN'S OPINION.

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Aug. 15, 1889.

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DR. THOS. HILL'S OPINION.

GOLDSBORO, N. C., Oct. 23, 1889.

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THOS. HILL, M. D.

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Nov. 7, 1889. tf

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FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

THURSDAY.....JANUARY 9, 1890.

ONE YEAR AGO.

Twelve months ago this writer became the editor and owner of the FAYETTEVILLE OBSERVER, and since that time has steadfastly endeavored to keep the paper up to the high standard of excellence which it has enjoyed for more than half a century, and to give the people of the Cape Fear and Pee Dee sections of North and South Carolina such a paper as the opportunities would allow. That our feeble, though zealous efforts have been appreciated by those among whom we have cast our lot and in behalf of whose manifold interests we have "toiled without end" to advance, the twenty per cent. increase in our subscription list and the substantial endorsement of the live business men of Fayetteville by an advertising patronage almost unparalleled in the history of the paper, abundantly testifies. Indeed to us such a testimonial is more beautiful and lasting than any language could portray. Having successfully "weathered every gale," we enter upon the arduous duties of another year's work with renewed interest and zeal for the success of our chosen vocation.

What THE OBSERVER has been during the past year is the best index we can offer for its future. During the present management we have issued two special editions, each of which in our opinion was well worth the subscription price of the paper, to say nothing of the many news items and literary articles our readers have feasted upon in the regular weekly edition. During the year a new feature will be added to the paper which, in our humble judgment, will add materially to its popularity and merit.

PUBLIC MEETING.

A very large meeting of the citizens of Fayetteville and Cumberland county was held in the Town Hall on Monday morning at 11:30 o'clock, for the purpose of giving fitting expression to the profound sense of the loss sustained by the whole community in the death of Alfred A. McKethan.

His Honor, Mayor N. W. Ray, called the meeting to order with a brief explanation of the object of the assemblage, and on his motion Col. Chas. Haigh was called to the chair. On motion of Mr. G. A. Thomson and Capt. A. B. Williams Messrs. Z. W. Whitehead and J. H. Myrover were appointed secretaries.

On motion of Col. C. W. Broadfoot, the chairman appointed as a committee to draft resolutions appropriate to the occasion Col. C. W. Broadfoot, E. J. Lilly, Col. Jno. A. Pemberton, H. McNeill, Capt. S. C. Rankin. On motion of Mr. E. L. Pemberton, the chairman was added to the committee, during the absence of which Dr. S. J. Hinsdale was requested to preside.

Mr. Thos. H. Sutton then addressed the meeting, paying a feeling and eloquent tribute to the life and character of the lamented dead.

He was followed by Dr. S. J. Hinsdale briefly but in impressive terms, speaking of an acquaintance of nearly fifty years with the deceased—since 1843—and testifying to the uprightness, integrity and generosity of his character and disposition.

Hon. Wharton J. Green, with much feeling, bore testimony to the admiration and esteem with which the sterling qualities of the dead citizen had inspired him, while it had not been his good fortune to know and love him during the many years in which he had been prominently identified with all the material interests of the town and section.

From a full heart Mr. J. W. Atkinson next spoke in eulogy of Alfred A. McKethan: a living witness of his straightforwardness in business, the simplicity and candor of his nature, his perfect sincerity in his dealings with all men, his steadfast friendship, his generosity and charity. An apprentice with Mr. McKethan in 1859, and intimately associated with him in the relations of employer and employe, the remarks of Mr. Atkinson, as a leading man amongst the mechanics of the community, were received with deep interest.

Through the chairman of the committee, Col. C. W. Broadfoot, the following resolutions were submitted and unanimously adopted:

The people of Fayetteville having lost a popular, respected and honored fellow-citizen by the death of Alfred A. McKethan, and having met in town meeting to give public expression to their sense of the loss they have sustained, would call attention to some of the prominent points in the character of him they mourn.

In the long list of the honored dead who lived in Fayetteville none ever gave more earnest, hearty and untiring services in places of public trust to his fellow-citizens than Alfred A. McKethan. His time, talents and purse were at command to answer any call for any object which looked to the public weal.

His word was as "current money with the merchant," and passed undisputed wherever he was known. His charity was open, ready, wide and gracious. He gave a willing ear as well as helping hand to the tale of distress, and the poor and humble called upon him as their friend. If the blessings of such are of any worth, then was he rich indeed.

Impulsive by disposition, fiery by temperament, ardent in all he undertook, he was an active, zealous, whole-souled man—in the front rank always when any danger was to be met or any responsibility borne.

A prominent figure in our town and county for more than half a century, we look back upon his four-score years with pride, and say to our youth: Emulate his devotion to the public good, remember his unbounded charity, and learn to live as he did for others and not for self.

Catching the inspiration of his life work, now that we are about to lay him away, we speak these kindly words to his memory, and cover with the mantle of charity his faults.

All places of business will be closed and the town bell tolled at the time of his funeral as a public mark of respect to his memory.

The Secretary of this meeting will send a copy of its proceedings to the family and to the town papers.

The chairman appointed Messrs. G. A. Thomson, H. R. Horne and H. I. McDuffie a committee to request the closing of all places of business and the tolling of the bells of the churches from 3 to 4 P. M.

It was suggested that the County Commissioners have the court-house draped in mourning.

The public meeting was, in the best sense of the term, a representative body of all the professions, trades and branches of business in our midst, and a noticeable and pleasing feature of the gathering was the large number present of colored men who had been in the employ of the deceased, or who had other abundant reasons for paying their meed of respect to his memory.

The following telegram was received from Col. Julius A. Gray, President of the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley Railway:

GREENSBORO, Jan'y 6, 1890.

John M. Rose, Fayetteville, N. C.:

Your telegram announcing Mr. McKethan's death is just received—too late for me to attend his burial. Please extend my warmest sympathy to his family. I sincerely loved him for his sterling qualities and his unwavering kindness to me.

JULIUS A. GRAY.

THE GREAT SOUTH.

The Special Bankers' Edition of the *Manufacturers' Record*, issued December 21st, is not only very creditable to the energy, push and capacity for collating and furnishing valuable information of that paper but cannot fail to inure greatly to the advantage of the South, for which section it makes an exhibit of unparalleled prosperity—a wonderful advance in all manufacturing interests, an extraordinary developement of raw material and increase of manufactured articles, a great impetus to mining, a large augmentation of population, etc., etc. Capital is getting nearer to the field of its labors; the salubrious climate and cheapness of living of the Southern States is attracting substantial investment, and the best of music—that of the loom and the machine shop—is vibrating on the air.

Appropriate to a consideration of this subject will be here a summary of an interview which the writer had with Mr. Walter Watson, who has just returned from one of his periodical trips to the extreme South in the interests of his extensive business. His enthusiasm is that of one who is prepared to "give a reason for the faith that is within him."

In Georgia especially he has seen everywhere most gratifying evidences of thrift and progress. Throughout the sections embracing Brunswick, Wayeross and Jessup material development is moving steadily. With Brunswick he was delighted. In five years its population has increased from 3,000 to 12,000; the business of 1889 was greater by $5,000,000 than in 1888, and it handles $30,000,000 worth of naval stores annually, divided among six dealers. Its water front is magnificent, with apparently unlimited wharfage and shipping facilities, and Mr. Watson saw five vessels loading at one time, each with a capacity of from 3,000 to 5,000 barrels of rosin.

Savannah, notwithstanding its frequent scourges of fire, is a splendid city, growing rapidly. A hotel is finished this week at a cost of $500,000, and another, hardly less costly, is projected.

By the way, on his return, when about 8 miles from Marion, S. C., Mr. Watson had a narrow escape. Some one fired at the passing train, the ball missing Mr. Watson's head by only three or four inches, and imbedding itself in the wood-work of the car.

Wade Items.

For the Observer]

The Christmas holidays passed off very quietly in this section. Your correspondent has heard of a few parties and gatherings which were much enjoyed by the gay and young.

We have had a remarkably mild winter, so far; yesterday I saw, on the farm of a neighbor, growing sorghum cane that had sprung from the seed, looking as green and tender as in spring.

On the 4th Sunday in December Rev. D. D. McBryde preached his thirty-fifth anniversary sermon at Bluff Church, selecting as his text the 26th and 27th verses of Acts. The discourse was very impressive and delivered with much feeling, many of the audience being moved to tears.

Mr. June A. Williams, conducting a naval store business at Eastman, Ga., spent a portion of the holidays with his many friends and relatives here. Dr. N. M. McDougald and family, of Iola, Tex., are visiting his father, Maj. McDougald, of this place. We are glad to see the Doctor (better known as Mack in school-boy days), and wish him a pleasant stay at his old home. Q. E. A.

Weekly Cotton Report.

The following is the weekly report of the Fayetteville Cotton Market, taken from the office of the Fayetteville Cotton Exchange, for the week ending January 8, 1890:

	BALES.
Receipts for the week	51
" last year	30
" date	7,451
Same time last year	10,030
Stock on platform	150

The price paid for cotton in the Fayetteville market is higher than that paid elsewhere in the State except at Wilmington, and is the same as there.

Total Net Receipts of Cotton.

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all the ports since September 1, 1889: Galveston, 691,014; Norfolk, 306,283; New Orleans, 1,428,462; Mobile, 203,682; Savannah, 763,163; Charleston, 297,695; Wilmington, 113,346; Baltimore, 47,356; New York, 79,857; Boston, 37,282; Philadelphia, 18,340; Newport News, 22,078; West Point, Va., 241,390; Brunswick, 81,083. Total, 4,332,021 bales.

Comparative Cotton Statement.

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—the following is the comparative cotton statement for the week ending Jan. 3:

	1890.	1889.
Receipts for the week,	222,559	200,831
Total receipts to date,	4,302,021	3,801,329
Exports for the week,	138,661	163,897
Total exports to date,	3,049,112	2,497,151
Stock at all U. S. ports,	79,926	893,986
Stock at all interior towns,	219,655	276,774
Stock at Liverpool,	598,000	660,000
Exports to Great Britain	221,000	250,000

"The Davis Memorial Volume."

Dr. J. William Jones closed on yesterday a contract with B F. Johnson & Co., of this city, for the publication at an early day of the "Davis Memorial Volume," which will be published with the full approval of Mrs. Davis (who will receive a royalty on every copy sold), and in which will be gathered choice selections from the editorials, resolutions, speeches, &c., which have made our Southland's tribute to our dead Chief. The book will also contain a brief outline of his life and character, together with reminiscences, anecdotes, &c., &c. It will be beautifully illustrated and gotten up in fine style, making a *souvenir* which all lovers of the name and fame of the great Confederate will be glad to have—*Richmond Dispatch, Dec. 22, 1889.*

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SHILOH'S CURE will immediately relieve Croup, Whooping Cough and Bronchitis. For sale at T. W. Broadfoot & Co.'s Drug Store.

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CATARRH CURED, health and sweet breath secured, by Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy. Price 50 cents. Nasal Injector free. For sale at T. W. Broadfoot & Co.'s Drug Store.

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FAYETTEVILLE MARKET.

N. C. BACON—		FODDER,	75
Hog Round,	10	HIDES—	
Sides,	10	Flint—good,	6
Hams,	13	Flint—damaged,	5
WEST. BULK MEATS—		Dry Salt,	7
Sides,	6	Green,	3
Shoulders,	5	IRON—	
WESTERN BACON—		American,	3
Sides,	6½	Swedes,	5@6
Hams,	16	LARD—	
Shoulders,	8½	N. Carolina,	10
BAGGING,	11½@13	Western,	9
BEEF—		LEATHER—	
On foot,	3	Upper, country,	25@40
Dressed,	5@6	Sole, Hemlock,	25@27
BEESWAX,	18	Harness, c'ntry,	25@30
BUTTER—		MOLASSES,	25@40
North Carolina,	20@25	NAILS—	
Northern,	25@35	(12d basis),	2.50
COFFEE—		PORK—	
Java,	25	Fresh,	5@6
Rio,	18@22	Mess,	(None.)
COTTON YARN,	85@95	POTATOES—	
COTTON TIES,	1.25	Sweet—new,	40
CHICKENS,	10@20	Irish—o	50
EGGS	15	SALT,	95
FLOUR—		SUGARS—	
N. C. Family,	None.)	Coffee,	7
West. Fam.,	5.00@6.00	Granulated,	9
CORN MEAL—	60	SHEETINGS,	5½
GRAIN—		SHUCKS,	50
Corn—new,	50	TALLOW,	4
Oats,	40	WOOL,	18
Rye,	90	SPIRITS—	
Peas,	75	CornWhisky,	1.75@2.00
HAY—		Rye Whisky,	1.75@3.00
N. Carolina,	40@60	Ap. Brandy,	1.75@3.00
Northern,	1 00	Pch Brandy,	1.75@3.00

Fayetteville Cotton and Naval Stores Market

Corrected by A. E. Rankin & Co.

Good Middling	9½
Middling	9¼
Strict Low Middling	9¼

Turpentine, $1.30 to $2.30 per barrel
NAVAL STORES.—Spirits 39½ cents
Rosin was steady, prices ranging from 70 to 2.00 for common.

Wilmington Market.

WILMINGTON, N. C., January 8 4:00 P. M.
COTTON.—Cotton steady, with sales on a basis of 9¼ cents for Middling.
SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market steady at 41½ cents per gallon.
ROSIN.—The market quoted firm at 90 cents per bbl. for Strained and 95 cents for Good Strained.
TAR—Firm $1.35.
TURPENTINE (Crude) Distillers quote the market firm at $2.20 for Virgin and Yellow dip and $1.20 for Hard.
Norfolk, Cotton steady at 10, basis Middling
New York, Cotton quiet and middling quoted at 10 9-16.

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The entire stock in the store now occupied by K. Lewald is offered for sale at COST for CASH. The stock is large and complete, and desirable bargains can now be obtained. On and after January 20th, next, the balance of the stock will be disposed of at auction. Call early before the best selections are taken.

C. H. CALAIS, Ag't
for Assignee and in charge.

Dec. 19, 1889.

VALUABLE
Cape Fear River Land
FOR SALE.

Pursuant to a decree of the Superior Court of Cumberland County, N. C., made 28th December, 1889, and approved by his Honor Judge James C MacRae 30th December, 1889, in an *ex parte* proceeding for the sale of land for partition among the heirs-at-law of the late William McNatt, as Commissioner of the Court, I will expose to public sale at the Market House in Fayetteville, N. C., that valuable plantation of the late William McNatt, composed of two adjoining tracts, lying and being in Cumberland County, N. C., on the east side of the Cape Fear River, 15 miles below Fayetteville—one tract, known as the home place, containing about 250 acres—and the other tract, known as the Wright place, containing about 89 acres—the tracts to be sold separately. Both tracts have good dwellings with all necessary outhouses upon them, and contain some of the best farming land in the county, in close proximity to the C. F. & Y. V. R. R.

Time of sale: Saturday, the 1st February, 1890, at 12 o'clock M.

Place of sale: At the Market House in Fayetteville, N. C.

Terms of sale: One-third cash—one-third payable 15th November, 1890, and one-third payable 15th November, 1891, with interest at 8 per cent on deferred payments, secured by note, with approved security—title reserved until purchase money is paid in full.

RALPH P. BUXTON,
Commissioner.

Dec. 31, 1889—ts]

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Jan. 2, 1890.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
CUMBERLAND COUNTY.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT.

Thomas C. Whitfield *ex* A. Theresa Whitfield.

Notice to Appear and Answer.

It appearing to the Court that the plaintiff has commenced his action by issuing a summons against the defendant, and that the defendant is a non-resident of this State and cannot, after due diligence be found therein, so that personal service cannot be made upon her: It is now ordered that publication be made for six consecutive weeks in the FAYETTEVILLE OBSERVER, a newspaper published in the town of Fayetteville, N. C., commanding the said A. Theresa Whitfield to appear at a term of the said Superior Court of Cumberland County, in the State aforesaid, to be held in the Court House in Fayetteville, N. C., on the ninth Monday after the first Monday in March, 1890, and answer, plead or demur to the plaintiff's complaint which will be deposited in the Clerk's office of said Court, within the first three days of said term, or the same will be heard upon the plaintiff's application for the relief demanded therein.

The defendant will take notice accordingly.

This December 23rd, 1889.

CHARLES G. CAIN,
Clerk Superior Court.

January 2, 1890. 6w

Notice of Sale under Mortgage.

By virtue and authority of a certain deed of trust made to me by C. A. and Jas. F. Martin on February 7th, 1884, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Cumberland County, in Book Z, No. 3, page 339, I will sell to the highest bidder a tract of land in Seventy-first Township, on both sides of Persimmon Branch, containing 309½ acres more or less, and being the lands on which the said Martins now reside. For more particular description of said lands see deed registered in Book Z, No. 3, page 339, in Register's office of Cumberland County.

Time of sale: Saturday, February 1st, 1890, at 12 o'clock M.

Place of sale: Market House, Fayetteville, N. C

Terms of sale: Cash.

L. LUTHER, Mortgagee.

C. W. BROADFOOT, Attorney.

Jan'y 2, 1890. ts

Business Changes.

The firm of J. L. Tatum and J. R. Vann, doing business as J. L. Tatum & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent—J. R. Vann retiring. All accounts due by the firm are payable by J. L. Tatum and all accounts due the firm are payable to J. L. Tatum.

J. L. TATUM.
J. R. VANN.

Dec. 18, 1889.

Apropos to the above, I will state that I intend to continue business at "The Only Fruit Store in the City," under the firm name of J. L. Tatum & Co., where we will be pleased to serve the patrons of the old firm and the public generally, promising that no pains will be spared to please them. J. L. TATUM.

Dec. 18, 1889. 1m

NOTICE.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the People's National Bank will be held at their Banking House on Tuesday, January 14th 1890, at 12 o'clock M.

G. P. McNEILL, Cashier.

Jan'y 2, 1890. 2t

In These Days of Sharp Competition

we stand with firmer faith in the grade of standard goods which it has been our custom to handle, and will continue to offer such goods as by experience we know will give satisfaction.

During the present year we ask a liberal share of your patronage, and wish you a happy new year. Very truly,

A. S. HUSKE, Ag't.

Jan'y 2, 1890.

Charlotte Female Institute.

The exercises of this Institute will be resumed after the Christmas Holidays, December 31. Pupils entering or returning then will probably avoid traveling in the severe weather generally prevailing about the second week of January.

The health of the Institute was never better than it has been all the current session, with a larger number of pupils than usual. The corps of teachers is the best the Institute has ever had.

The appointments of the boarding department are unsurpassed in the South. The sanitary arrangements are perfect. New pupils charged only from date of entrance.

REV. WM. R. ATKINSON, Principal,
Dec. 19, 1889. Charlotte, N. C.

Notice of Sale under Mortgage.

By virtue of the power and authority given by a certain mortgage, executed by Jesse H. Carver and wife to W. E. Brady, which is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Cumberland County, in Book D, No. 4, page 598, the following property will be exposed to sale by public auction, viz: Two tracts of land lying in Gray's Creek Township, on the Cape Fear River—one containing 235 acres, the other 171 acres. Both particularly described in said deed.

Place of sale: Market House in Fayetteville, N. C.

Time of sale: Saturday, February 1st, at 12 o'clock M.

Terms of sale: Cash.

W. E. BRADY, Mortgagee.

C. W. BROADFOOT, Att'y.

Fayetteville, N. C., Jan'y 2, 1890. ts

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Nov. 15, 1889. tf

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April 29, tf

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☞ Office—Sedberry's Drug Store.
October 15, 1889. 1y

N. A. SINCLAIR,
Attorney-at-Law,
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.
PRACTICE IN ALL THE COURTS.

☞ Office over Beasley's Jewelry Store.
June 20, 1889. tf

DR. J. H. MARSH,
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.,

Offers his professional services to the citizens of Fayetteville and the surrounding country. Office at Sedberry's Drug Store. Room at Overbaugh House. May 9, 1889. 6m

DR. G. B. PATTERSON,
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Office up-stairs in Thornton Block, Room No. 3.

N. B. Hayes' Hypnotic used for the painless extraction of teeth.

Nov. 5, 1889. tf

DR. J. A. HODGES

has removed his office and residence to the rooms over the Bank of Fayetteville.

☞ Telephonic communication with Horne's Drug Store.

Nov. 8, 1889. 6m

BOARD.

BOARD can be obtained of Mrs. Murdoch Maxwell, at the Blake House, on Railroad Street, at the new depot. Table fare first-class. House open after this week.

M. MAXWELL.

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October 18, 1889. tf

Fine Lot of HORSES and MULES
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Fayetteville, N. C.

Dec. 19, 1889. tf

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Dec. 19, 1889. 1m

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OLD SILVER VINIAGRETTES.
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A. J. COOK & CO.'S
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Nov. 5, 1889. tf

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COAL

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TOWN AND COUNTY.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

H. C. FISHER—Tax Notice.
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WALTER WATSON—Called Meeting.
W. A. TILLINGHAST—Annual Meeting.
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FRANK THORNTON—The Bargain of the Season.
C. H. LEGG & Co. - Livery, Sale, Feed and Exchange Stables.

Railroad Improvement.

Quite a neat and attractive shelter has been erected for the accommodation, during inclement weather, of the gateman of the Hay street crossing of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railway:—a circular house provided with glass windows, stove, &c.

Sincere Appreciation.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Harley, the General Secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association, and his wife, desire to express, through the medium of the OBSERVER, their most sincere appreciation to the Young Men's Christian Association for the exquisite silver tea set presented to them on their arrival in Fayetteville.

Important Sale of Real Estate.

Mr. H. R. Horne, engaged in an extensive drug business in this city, has purchased from Mr. E. J. Lilly the valuable building on Hay street which he has occupied for the past two or three years. The store has a depth of about 85 feet, is handsomely fitted up and conveniently arranged in the interior, with good pitch on both floors, and has a very elegant and tasteful exterior front.

Queer Freak of Vegetable Growth.

Mr. N. H. Smith showed us the other day three or four very queer apples, picked out of a lot at the store of Mr. W. G. Clark on Hay street. They were half russet and half winter apple, and the difference is not only clearly defined on the exterior coat but in the taste and quality of the inside flesh. This is even more singular than the case of different fruit on the same tree.

Evangelistic Work.

Rev. J. B. Mack, Evangelist for this district, has recently written to Dr. J. W. McNeill, giving very encouraging accounts of his work for the season.

At Cypress Church he preached 12 sermons, with the result of 29 additions to the church, 19 of whom were baptized—also 4 infants.

At Mt. Pisgah he preached 14 sermons and had 55 additions, with 28 adults and 4 infants baptized.

At Flat Branch Church he delivered 15 sermons, with 49 additions, and 26 adults and 1 infaut baptized.

At Dunn, up to date of writing, he had preached 2 sermons, with 1 addition to the church.

The total makes the gratifying exhibit of 43 sermons delivered, 134 additions made, and 74 adults and 9 infants baptized. The sum of $81.00 was collected for the Evangelistic Fund, and $21.00 for other purposes.

Good Advice.

Read carefully the first Psalm; read the 4th chapter of the Book of Proverbs; read, every Sabbath for one month, the 8th, 9th and 10th verses of the 20th chapter of Exodus.

In this town there is scarcely one person to be found who does not believe that the Bible is the Word of God, and that it contains God's Law and Will.

If the supply of Bibles was limited and the price high, every one ought to obtain a copy; but the supply is very abundant, and the price remarkably cheap, and no one has a good excuse for not owning a copy of the Scripture.

If we read this blessed Book we will learn the way to escape the wrath to come, learn how to live, how to die and how to get to heaven.

Can we find a reason why everybody should not own a Bible and read *each day* at least ten verses? Should not all God's people unite in one general effort to induce every one to search the Bible daily? What an influence it would exert in our community.

Read the 24th and 25th verses of the 7th chapter of St. Matthew.

The advice above given, if you will observe it faithfully and prayerfully for the church year of 1890, will greatly profit you. Try it!

The Cumberland County Bible Society has a depository of the Bibles published by the American Bible Society at the Fayetteville Book-store, where you can obtain a copy of the whole Scripture for the small sum of 25 cents. Surely, then, no one need be without a Bible.

Entertainment.

Cross Creek Lodge No. 4, I. O. O. F., will give an entertainment on Monday night next, with elegant collation of oysters and other viands, and to which an invitation has been extended to the "Daughters of Rebecca."

"By Yon Pale Moon"—

On the 1st page of the OBSERVER Mr. Duncan Rose gives our readers the first part of a scholarly and very entertaining communication about the moon. If our correspondent is among the unfortunates whom he dubs "moonstruck," there is certainly a very pleasing "method in his madness."

Tournament.

The Annual Tournament at Owen's Cross Roads, in Seventy-First township, was an entertainment of as much unalloyed enjoyment as any occasion of the festive Christmas season, taking place on Friday, 27th ult. The customs of their noble ancestors are preserved by the sterling Scotch people of that section, characterized in the address of Mr. H. L. Cook as "Scottish America."

Quite a large number of young men took part in the tournament—the lineal descendants of many of the survivors of Culloden—so famed among the battle-fields of history—and they are as brave and knightly as were their forefathers. Many people were present from town to witness the contest, of which the first successful knight was Mr. Duncan Shaw, Jr., who chose as his "Queen of Love and Beauty" Miss Janie Vaughn; second, Mr. Jas. Ward, who selected Miss Vann as first Maid of Honor; third, Mr. Colin Shaw, choosing Miss Annie McDougald as second Maid of Honor; fourth, Mr. Tate Rackley, who named Miss May McDonald third Maid of Honor.

Henry L. Cook, Esq., of Fayetteville, delivered the coronation speech, in the fluent and graceful style which makes it so pleasant to listen to him, paying eloquent tribute to the nobility of character of the Scotch people, and recalling the customs of olden times in the distant fatherland. To each of the young ladies was presented a beautiful bouquet; and the mantling blush on the lovely cheek, the smile on the crimson lip and the sparkle in the speaking eye told of their enjoyment. Mr. Jno. G. Shaw, whose active foot "presses his native heath" in Seventy-First township, was the efficient master of ceremonies, assisted by Messrs. J. Marshall Williams and Andrew Broadfoot.

At night there was a largely-attended ball at Cottondale, and, altogether, it was a very pleasant occasion, for which the large crowd present tender their thanks to the managers. This annual custom is to be "honored in the observance," and nowhere could it be more appropriate and successful than on the soil of Seventy-First.

Obituary.

Died at his residence in this city on Friday, 3rd inst., Silas Sheetz, in the 62nd year of his age—born in Augusta county, Va., March 2nd, 1828. The funeral took place on Sunday afternoon from the Hay Street Methodist Church, of which deceased was a devout and prominent member.

Mr. Sheetz removed to Wilmington when about 22 years of age, where he worked in the Clarendon Iron Works and the Wilmington & Weldon R. R. shops, being a skilled and conscientious artisan, both as blacksmith and cabinet maker. During his residence in that city he was the life of all musical clubs and entertainments, as an enthusiastic and artistic amateur. In 1860 he married Miss Helen, second daughter of Henry M. and Sarah A. Bishop, of Wilmington, and two years later came to Fayetteville, where he was on detailed service at the Confederate Arsenal.

At the close of the war he was engaged in the grocery trade with Hiram P. Vickers until he established the furniture business in 1870, and in 1883 added to it the undertaking department with his eldest son, H. E. Sheetz, as partner.

Mr. Sheetz was a self-made man, with the advantage of but three months' schooling throughout his whole life, and emphasized every successive step of his career with a persistent energy, painstaking industry and unswerving integrity which could not fail of success.

Departure of an Old Resident.

Christopher C. Barbee, well-known and highly respected in Fayetteville, died in Raleigh on the morning of the 2nd inst. His death recalls a portion of the past history of Fayetteville of which our younger readers know naught except by hearsay—a time antedating the railway and telegraph, when travel to and from this tranquil but prosperous town was by the four-horse stage-coach, of which there were three great lines:—to Salem, 120 miles; to Raleigh, 60 miles; to Warsaw, 49 miles.

The stage-offices were at the old Fayetteville Hotel, on the corner of Hay and Donaldson streets, and at the Planters' Hotel, where the Dobbin House now stands. The driver, while not perhaps as picturesque a character as the English coachman immortalized by the facile pen of Washington Irving, or as plethoric and as strongly marked in his individuality as the inimitable senior Weller of Charles Dickens, was nevertheless a very important character; and when, dashing up to the hotel entrance with a blast of his horn and a flourish of his long whip, he received his way-bill, and carried off his passengers like a conqueror with his captives, he departed amid the unbounded admiration of all the boys and idlers in the neighborhood.

Mr. Barbee was for years proprietor of the line between Fayetteville and Raleigh, and married a daughter of Mrs. Barclay, who kept the half-way house on that route—a model country inn, the Mecca of good cheer to all hungry and wearied wayfarers. There are Fayetteville people, who have not felt the springs of a stage-coach in thirty or forty years, who still retain a vivid recollection of the long-drawn blasts of the horn, piercing the night's silence, and sounded a mile or two down the road to warn Mrs. Barclay's cook of the number of passengers speeding to her bountiful board, the white-haired old negro servant, the cheerful firelight beaming out a welcome from the chill of the long cold ride, and all the cosy comfort of the farm homestead—and we doubt if they will forget till their dying day the taste of those flaky biscuits, that delicately-browned chicken, the new-laid eggs and the fragrant coffee.

After the war Mr. Barbee removed to Raleigh, and had been for years one of the most prosperous and successful merchants of that city.

A Pleasing and Graceful Recognition.

Mr. A. B. Daingerfield left Fayetteville with his family this week, to become the cashier of the National Bank at Henderson, of which we made mention a week or two since; but before his departure a very pleasant incident occurred in the mammoth dry good establishment of F. W. Thornton, testifying to the regret felt by the proprietor and employes at parting from Mr. Daingerfield.

Mr. Thornton presented to him a beautiful gold-headed ebony cane, gotten up for the purpose by Messrs. Warren Prior & Son, with name and length of service inscribed thereon; this was followed by a letter of sincere good-will and friendship, which we append, together with Mr. Daingerfield's acknowledgment:

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., Jan'y 1st, 1890.

Mr. A. B. Daingerfield:

DEAR SIR:—In parting with you from my corps of salesmen, it certainly is a source of great pleasure to me to heartily bear testimony to your efficient and valuable services while in my employ, covering a period of about twenty years. In you I have ever found, under all circumstances, a cheerful, willing and reliable assistant, worthy of all confidence, and evincing a noteworthy and unusual interest in the prosperity of my business—a position attained by you reflecting credit of the highest degree. However much I regret your decision in severing your connection with me, my earnest wishes for your prosperity and welfare will accompany you to your future home and business, and if your success is gauged by your character and worth it will be abundant.

As a token of my friendship and regard, permit me to present you with the accompanying testimonial.

With kindest regards, I am yours very truly,
F. W. THORNTON.

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., Jan'y 1st, 1890.

F. W. Thornton, Esq.:

DEAR SIR:—Your very kind letter, accompanied by the elegant gold-headed walking stick which you present to me as a "token of kindly regard and appreciation of services faithfully rendered," has been received. This kindness adds one more to the long list of regrets that I feel in severing a connection that has been so pleasant to me during a number of years past.

Wishing you a continuance of the prosperity that has always accompanied your efforts,
I am yours truly,
A. B. DAINGERFIELD.

Mr. Daingerfield's fellow-salesmen also bestowed upon him a handsome testimonial—an ornately finished case of carving-knife, fork, etc.—eliciting the following correspondence:

Mr. A. B. Daingerfield:

DEAR SIR:—Your friends and fellow salesmen beg that you will accept this little testimonial of their very high esteem and appreciation. While they regret exceedingly that you are no longer with them, they sincerely hope that you will find your duties in your new home as pleasant as their recollection of your association with them will always remain.

Wishing you a happy New Year, we are
Very truly your friends,
J. McK. Woodward, Isaac Jessup, Ralph Jessup, I Overbaugh, J. A. Vann, Geo. B. Underwood, I. B. Hawley, B. C. Gorham, W. S. McRae, A. D. McMillan, J. F. Johnson, W. F. Campbell, E. E. Gorham, W. G. Hall, J. E. Hawley, Willie Glover, Gordon Jessup, A. G. Harrell.

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., Jan'y 1st, 1890.

MY DEAR FRIENDS:—It is only once in a man's lifetime that he is permitted to enjoy so happy a New Year's day as your kindly act has made this for me. Your elegant present was beautiful, and I will often think of and wish for each one of you to share with me my Christmas turkey. The kind autograph note will be treasured up as one of my most valued possessions, and often referred to with pleasure for its many assurances of friendship and regard.

I can assure you all that it is with exceeding regret that I sever an association which has at all times been made so pleasant by many acts of kindness by each and every one of you. Again thanking you for your beautiful present, I am yours sincerely,
A. B. DAINGERFIELD.

To J. McK. Woodward, etc.

Graded School Report.

Following is the report for the fourth school month:

ROLL OF HONOR.

Girls—Misses Mamie Haigh, Annie Jessup, Augusta McKethan, Maggie Moore, Annie Munroe, Eliza Williams, Georgie Worth, Ethel Fisher, Mary Lamb, Carrie Nimocks, Mattie Brown, Jennie Fisher, Nellie Graham, Eugenia Welsh, Rebecca Schlossberg, Nellie Monaghan, Urbie Myrover, Sallie Moore, Eula May McDonald, Bertha Melvin, Lillie Muse, Janie McKethan, Alice Vann, Virginia Ward, Eva Allen, Sibla Atkinson, Sallie Brown, Lucy Evans, Jennie Ingram, Nettie Jackson, Laura Schlossberg, Stella Thomson, Katie Warwick, Annie Bowles, Loula Caster, May Daingerfield, Pauline Cole, Alice Jessup, Lizzie Phillips, May Fuller Robeson, Lizzie Green, Maggie Denby, Katie Gaster, Mollie Atkinson, Nannie Kinlaw, Nellie Atkinsou, Nannie Cain, Eva Denby, Etta Driver, Mattie Atkinson, Alice Johnson, Henrietta Lee, Stella Muse, Laura Smith.

Boys—Stiles Sedberry, Archie Sikes, Jno. McKethan, Geo. Rose, Eugene Sikes, Oscar Winburn, Roy McDuffie, Eugene Maultsby, Tom Moore, John Schlossberg, Edwin Cole, Hoagland Davis, Walter Jessup, Robbie Jones, James Lamb, Leon McDuffie, James MacRae, Charles Rose, Walter Cain, Mat Fisher, Theodore MacRae, Verner Moore, John Sikes, Roland Thornton, Thomas Wright, Edmund Pemberton, Walter Brady, Frank Black, Herman Atkinson, Ira Black, Samuel Cain, Aurie Kinlaw, James Phillips, Absalom Powell, Paul Taylor, Deremer Pearce.

Jan'y 8, 90. B. C. MCIVER, Sup't.

We were much pleased, a few days since, to receive a visit from Mr. P. H. Emmitt, now residing at Canoe Station, Ala., and to know that in health and prosperity he is enjoying all that his many friends in Fayetteville and Cumberland county could desire.

The Death of Alfred A. McKethan.

Mr. Alfred A. McKethan departed this life at his residence in this city on the 5th inst., at 1 A. M., at the age of over 80 years, having been born in this county on the 8th of July, 1809. He had been in failing health—confined to his room the greater part of the time—for a number of years, and the recent accident of a broken limb, of which we made mention in our last issue, probably precipitated the close of his life.

This writer approaches with diffidence the task of doing justice to the memory of Alfred McKethan—a duty which would doubtless be better performed at the hands of some one of the intimate associates of his long and useful life—but we knew him sufficiently well to admire greatly and trust thoroughly his sturdy character, unblemished integrity and sincere, open nature.

Simplicity, candor and absolute fearlessness were the prominent traits of this influential and esteemed citizen. His word with all men was "yea" and "nay," and his way to the accomplishment of any end which he had in view was ever the straightforward, open way—a tortuous and devious course in matters of either private or public life was to him not only repugnant but incomprehensible. With a nature fervid and a disposition impulsive, which rendered leadership natural and agreeable to him, he was impatient of opposition and often incensed at contradiction; but, while this aggressive temperament occasionally brought him into antagonism with even colaborers and colleagues, his friends recognized the nobility of the man through all, and those whom circumstances might have classed for the time as enemies recognized the magnanimous foe, disguising nothing.

A recital of the services of the lamented deceased to his town, county and section is the history of his life—for all his days were devoted to the promotion of the material prosperity of his people. One of the thoughtful and forecasting in a realization of the necessity of a liberal system of internal improvements, he became a large stockholder in the Western Coal Fields (now the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley) R. R., and its supporter throughout the history of its vicissitudes with all the energy so characteristic of him. How manfully he battled to wrest it from unworthy hands, and struggled to redeem it from inefficient management, is matter of record in the recent past, and he has been no inconsiderable factor in the beneficent influences which have brought that admirable railway system to its present position of importance.

Recognizing the salutary results to accrue from the accessibility to the rich agricultural section of the Pee Dee, Mr. McKethan—hampered by lack of adequate means and beset by difficulties before which the heart of an ordinary man would have failed—for years sedulously toiled for the completion of the Fayetteville & Florence Railroad; under his presidency the line was surveyed and graded to the South Carolina border, and, on the extension of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley south, was turned over by contract to that corporation.

As President for successive terms of the Cumberland County Agricultural Society, he attested his abiding interest in the advancement of the interests of the tillers of the soil, bestowing upon the duties of that position his unflagging industry and high executive capacity; as Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners for a number of years—and throughout a trying and stormy period of our political history—he was the faithful custodian of the people's interests and the unflinching champion of their rights; in every enterprise inaugurated and pushed to completion for the furtherance of the general welfare of the town his unflagging zeal, his best abilities, his disinterested counsel and his open purse were the free-will offerings of a broad and enlightened public spirit:—in a word, his life and his example delineated the best type of a pure and unselfish citizenship.

In 1832 Mr. McKethan founded the great carriage factory on Person street, which has been continued without interruption for nearly 60 years, and which was for a long time the most extensive establishment of the kind, in its output and operations, in the South. His only living child, Maj. A. A. Mekethan, is now the surviving partner of the business.

The funeral services took place from the Presbyterian Church at 3:30 o'clock on Monday afternoon, Rev. T. P. Barclay officiating, assisted by the Rev. C. W. Byrd, at which time the business houses were closed, the bells of the city were tolled, and the vast concourse attending the remains to their last resting place bore touching evidence to the esteem in which the departed citizen was held.

The following well-known and esteemed colored men of the community—who had either been his former slaves, or were for many years in his service—were among the sincere mourners at the funeral services, taking seats in the body of the church near the bier: Joshua Council, F. Nelson, Jackson Campbell, Richard Dane, Pilgrim Barge, William Ashe, Joshua Hadley.

Commissioners' Court.

There was a full board present at the January meeting of the County Commissioners, though comparatively little business came before the body for its consideration.

The bonds of Sheriff Fisher, Treasurer Troy and Constables Long and Waddill were tendered and accepted.

Col. W. S. Cook was appointed auctioneer, submitting bond therefor, which was accepted.

The bond of J. D. Brown as inspector of naval stores was received and accepted.

The repairs over Taylor Hole Creek were referred to K. J. Rhodes. Sundry accounts to the amount of $315 were audited, whereupon the board adjourned in a body to the public meeting in the Town Hall, after the following proceedings of respect to the memory of Alfred A. McKethan:

MEMORIAL RESOLUTIONS.

North Carolina—Cumberland County.

The death of Alfred A. McKethan, Esq., having suggested them as fitting, the following resolutions were offered by Thomas H. Sutton, Esq., County Attorney, and were unanimously adopted by the Board of Commissioners of Cumberland County, at their regular monthly meeting on the 6th day of January, 1890, and were ordered to be spread upon the Minutes of the Board:

WHEREAS, This Board has heard with deep regret of the death of Mr. A. A. McKethan, who for many years was an honored member of this body, and the chai man thereof, and who had served this county faithfully for a long period and was faithful to every trust; now therefore be it

Resolved, That in the death of A. A. McKethan, Esq., the County of Cumberland has sustained the loss of an upright man, an officer who in every private as well as official station performed well his part and was equal to every emergency. For many years he was identified with every public measure connected with the interests of this county—was foremost in every enterprise for its material advancement and zealous in every matter pertaining to the public good, and was everywhere esteemed as an honest man—which is the "noblest work of God."

Resolved, That in respect for his memory and many and faithful services this Board do now adjourn.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family of the deceased and published in the Fayetteville papers.

Resolved, That a page be set apart upon the records of this Board and the name of Alfred A. McKethan, Esq., be inscribed thereon, as a memorial of our respect and esteem for him, and that this paper be spread upon the Minutes of this Board.

Personal Penciilings.

Capt. W. E. Kyle, Gen'l Freight and Passenger Agent of the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railway, left on the Wilson Short Cut R. R., for a brief business trip.

Miss Maggie Wright Mallett, a charming young lady of Fayetteville, has been enjoying the holidays with friends in Wilmington, and was one of the guests at the brilliant "Bal Poudre" in that city recently.

Mr. Paul Slocomb, one of the brightest students of the Davis Military School, enjoyed his Christmas holidays with his home folks and Fayetteville sweethearts—no reflection intended upon the young gentleman's constancy by the use of the plural number.

Mr. Alfred McKethan, a Cadet at the United States Naval Academy, was granted leave of absence of 24 hours on receipt of tidings of the accident to his grandfather—which leave was extended that he might be present at the funeral services. He returned to Annapolis on Tuesday morning.

Your Attention, Please.

If you want to be pleased, attend A. C. Melke's Art Exhibition. An OBSERVER reporter visited this exhibit and pronounces it "a thing of beauty and joy forever."

A. B. Hinshaw offers some extra fine Bramah chickens for sale.

A. H. Slocomb offers a mortgage sale of valuable property.

The People's National Bank has declared a semi-annual dividend of 4. per cent.

C. H. Legg & Co. can accommodate you at their livery, sale and feed stables.

See Johnson & Co's. notice of the Jefferson Davis "Memorial Volume."

J. F. Shaw has an executor's notice in to-day's issue.

A called meeting of the Executive Committee of the Cumberland County Agricultural Society will be held at Maj. A. A. McKethan's office to-morrow.

F. W. Thornton advertises *the* bargains of the season.

Read about Geo. Rosenthal's first great annual sale.

See notice of annual meeting of Cumberland County Agricultural Society.

A semi annual dividend of 4 per cent. is declared by the Bank of Fayetteville.

The Sheriff gives notice there can be no further indulgence in taxes.

DIED.

McLEOD—At Yellow Prairie, Burleson Co., Texas, December 22nd, 1889, SARAH MCGREGOR, daughter of Malcom and Mary McGregor, dec'd, (formerly of Cumberland County, N. C.) and wife of D. J. McLeo, formerly of Fayetteville, N. C., aged 58 years, 9 months and 24 days

DAVIS—On the 2nd inst., in this city, at the advanced age of 98 years, Mrs. MARY DAVIS, mother of Cross and John M., and the late Ichabod B. Davis.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ART EXHIBITION.

To the Good People of Fayetteville and the Surrounding Country:

I take this method of informing you that my office for the sale of the world-renowned Davis Vertical Feed Sewing Machine is now open, and on the following days: Thursday and Friday, January 9th and 10th, we will give an exhibition of the work which is done on this Machine. This is not a mere advertisement to get you to visit our office, but a Grand Display of Artistic Work that you have thought impossible to do on a Sewing Machine, and which, indeed, is impossible on any except the Davis. His exhibition of work, both Plain and Fancy, is well worth seeing by all, and the ladies are cordially and respectfully invited to visit our office during one of the above-named days.

A. C. MELKE,
Manager Fayetteville Office,
Next door to Cumberland House.
Fayetteville, N. C., Jan'y 9, 1890.

Tax Notice.

All delinquents are hereby notified that longer indulgence cannot be given in regard to taxes. Immediate payment is required to save costs. H. C. FISHER, Sheriff
of Cumberland County.
Jan'y 9, 1890. tf

Extra Fine!

I have a lot of LIGHT BRAMAHS, pure breed, of last spring's hatching. Also, fine breeds of other varieties, from all of which poultry raisers may strengthen their stock with some rare bargains.

A. B. HINSHAW,
Jan'y 9, 1890—1t] Pleasant Garden.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE Bargain of the Season.

On account of the very unusual warm weather we find ourselves possessed of a very large lot of our purchases this season of

FINE and FASHIONABLE

CLOAKS,

SHORT WRAPS

—AND—

FURS.

They are all perfectly fresh, recently purchased, and an unusually attractive and desirable line. We don't propose to carry them over, and have made prices on them that are bound to make them move. Some of them will be sold at precisely

New York Cost.

We do not ask over cost for any of them. Others will be offered as low as

50 PER CENT. DEDUCTION ON COST.

They must go, and it will pay you to invest in one now, whether you need it or not, as this is the most extraordinary inducement which will present itself in years.

All goods are now sold for cash.

FRANK THORNTON.

Jan'y 9, 1890. 3t

Dividend Notice.

The Directors of the People's National Bank have this day declared a semi-annual dividend of 4 per cent., payable on and after January 8th, 1890. G. P. MCNEILL, Cashier.
Jan'y 8, 1890. 1t

Annual Meeting.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Cumberland County Agricultural Society will be held in the Town Hall on Tuesday, the 28th inst., at 11 A. M., for the purpose of electing officers and the transaction of other important business.

W. A. TILLINGHAST,
Jan'y 9, 1890—2t] Secretary.

Called Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that a Called Meeting of the Executive Committee of the Cumberland County Agricultural Society will be held at A. A. McKethan's office on Friday morning, January 10th, 1890, at 11 o'clock A. M. As business of very great importance will come up before the Board a full attendance is requested. WALTER WATSON.
Jan'y 9, 1890. 1t

The Bank of Fayetteville,

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., Jan'y 1st, 1890.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of this Bank, held this date, a semi-annual dividend of four (4) per cent. on the capital stock, was declared; payable on and after January 1st, 1890. J. C. HAIGH, JR.,
1t] Cashier.

Executor's Notice.

The undersigned having qualified as executor of Mary McCormick, dec'd, hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment of the same, and all persons having claims against said estate are notified by this publication, to exhibit the same on or before the 9th day of Jan'y, 1891, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. J. F. SHAW, Executor.
Jan'y 9, 1890. 6w

Mortgage Sale.

By virtue of a mortgage executed by Robert Allen and his wife Sarah Allen, and Springfield Allen, on the 2nd day of February, 1882, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Cumberland County, in Book Y, No. 3, Page 237, I will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, on the 10th day of February, 1890, at the Market House in Fayetteville, all that property lying and situated in the town of Fayetteville, on the west side of Mechanic street, known as the "Polly Grove property." See said Record for further description of said property. A. H. SLOCOMB, Mortgagee.
CHAS. GLOVER, Auctioneer.
Jan'y 9, 1890. ts

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Livery, Sale, Feed and Exchange Stables,

Nice new Turn-outs, new Buggies, new Carriages, new Teams. Carriages always at every Train. Drummers sent in the country at reasonable rates. Special attention given to BOARDING HORSES, doctoring horses, training fast horses or breaking horses, colts, &c.

Give us a trial and we will give satisfaction or take no pay. Remember that our C. H. Legg will be on hand all the time and ready to attend to business, and all business of the stables will be under his special supervision.

Horses, Mules, Buggies and Harness always on hand and for sale.

C. H. LEGG & CO.
Jan'y 9, 1890. tf

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Jan'y 9, 1890. 7w

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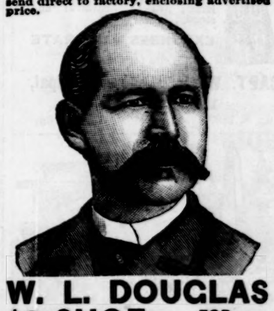

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CONDENSED SCHEDULE.

In effect December 23rd, 1889.

NORTH BOUND.

	Daily Except Sunday. No. 1.	Daily Except Sunday. No. 9.
Leave Bennettsville,	4:20 a m	.....
Arrive Maxton,	5:35 a m	.....
Leave Maxton,	5:45 a m	.....
Arrive Fayetteville,	7:35 a m	.....
Leave Fayetteville,	8:00 a m	.....
Arrive Sanford,	9:52 a m	.....
Leave Sanford,	10:10 a m	.....
Leave Millboro,	.....	7:25 a m
Arrive Greensboro,	1:20 p m	9:00 a m
Leave Greensboro,	1:45 p m	10:10 a m
Arrive Mt. Airy,	5:50 p m	.....
Arrive Madison,	.....	12:30 p m

SOUTH BOUND

	Daily Except Sunday. No. 2.	Daily Except Sunday. No. 10.
Leave Mt. Airy,	3:35 a m	.....
Arrive Greensboro,	7:30 a m	.....
Leave Madison,	.....	1:30 p m
Arrive Greensboro,	.....	3:55 p m
Leave Greensboro,	10:05 a m	4:25 p m
Arrive Millboro,	.....	6:10 p m
Arrive Sanford,	1:40 p m	.....
Leave Sanford,	2:00 p m	.....
Arrive Fayetteville,	3:55 p m	.....
Leave Fayetteville,	4:10 p m	.....
Arrive Maxton,	6:02 p m	.....
Leave Maxton,	6:15 p m	.....
Arrive Bennettsville,	7:25 p m	.....

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General Passenger Agent.
J. W FRY, General Superintendent.

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☞ No deposits received on interest.

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H. W. LILLY, Vice Pres.,
J. C. HAIGH, JR., Cashier.
Fayetteville, N. C., October 8, 1889.—[1y

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Nov. 19, 1889. tf

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Get Up and Ride!!

When the Big Guns in the Dry Goods trade, who are supposed to buy their goods on long time, insist on selling everything to everybody for strict cash, we think it is time for us heathen, who have to pay cash and cash only for our goods *before* we can ever *see* them, to *follow* in their illustrious footsteps.

It is a well-known fact that all dealers in Grain are compelled by the commercial law of the times to pay

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for their supplies before they can get them, however much such dealers may be worth, or however

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We have decided therefore to adopt the same rule in selling that we have to abide by in buying. In our case, this should always have been the rule. The unbusiness-like methods of others being our only excuse for wrong-doing, we trust that all of our patrons will "catch on" to the "new departure," and show their appreciation of our endeavors in the past to please them, by continuing to give us their patronage.

Recollect that we sell you

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of the unground material.

We also hold that to endeavor to do a

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with every purchase is not only impracticable but also unbusiness-like, and we wish it distinctly understood that accounts with parties of a known place of business, that are always promptly paid on presentation without any foolishness, is in our opinion *cash*.

Respectfully,

J. D. McNEILL & CO.,
MERCHANT MILLS.
Sept. 5, 1889. tf

The Future Service in Our Asylums for the Insane.

North Carolina Medical Journal.

Several years ago the *Journal* pointed out the defect in our Asylum management, in the neglect of providing for a succession of skilled physicians. This remedy was partially applied, but not in the spirit in which we made the suggestion. We have avoided making any comments in the late troubles which have occurred at the Raleigh Asylum, believing it to be best to leave the whole matter to the judgment of the profession, who had facilities for seeing the newspapers with all the details. We feel, though, that we can enter into a discussion of the future service of our Asylums without any personal strictures, or without stirring up any of the ill-feel-feeling which may have taken possession of the immediate actors in recent events. This question is superior to the individual interests of any one, but vitally concerns the welfare of the insane now and for future time.

The time may come in the history of any of our asylums when a competent man could not be found to take charge. It does not necessarily follow because a man is a good physician that he can conduct an asylum where expert knowledge is at once required. So far, in the history of our asylums, there have been only two Superintendents who have entered upon the responsibilities with any previous training; all the rest have received their education by actual experience, at the expense of the State, too, in one sense. Now, psychiatry must be a science of some consequence, if we have not been too proudly doting upon the expert acquirements of American alienists; there is a depth of learning in this business of caring for the insane, and the State ought to see that there are relays of young men coming on who can accept at once as experts, forever putting at rest the difficult task laid upon Boards of Directors.

The plan we suggest is as follows: The Raleigh and Morganton Asylums should each have two or three junior assistants, in addition to the present medical officers, and the Goldsboro Asylum two. These young men should be selected by competitive examination by a Board chosen from the Medical Society of North Carolina, the examination being as to morals, physical ability, medical education and special inclination for the peculiar work. For the consideration of a support and a salary of from five to six hundred dollars a year, they should agree to serve not less than three years, it being understood that they would be promoted in the order of their acquirements and adaptability for the work as vacancies occurred, these qualities to be determined by a Board of Examiners or committee chosen by the Directors of the Asylum.

This is the general outline of the plan, and we believe it would work well, if conscientiously carried out. The State must either make her selections from non-residents in the future, or provide for the training of young men in order to secure experts in succession. The expense attending this new departure would be insignificant compared with the ultimate good. It is very likely that some of our Asylum officers may have a more feasible plan than this, and, if so, we would like to hear what it is, that the subject may be fully discussed before the session of the next Legislature.

Population of the United States in 1860, 1890 and 1920.

Baltimore Manufacturers' Record.]

Thirty years ago the population of the United States and Territories was 31,443,321, and now is fully doubled, although during this time the civil war depleted the number fully 5,000,000. In thirty years from now, 1920, the population will be fully 125,000,000. The last thirty years the flow of population was westward through Minnesota, Dakota, Montana, Wyoming, Colorado, Utah, Nevada, Idaho, California, Oregon and Washington Territory, some going even to Kamtchatka. They have spread out on the left to the borders of Mexico, and on the right have overrun the lines of the British possessions.

This great tide of population has been flowing west for the past thirty years, and has dropped more than 15,000,000 people along its path. They have absorbed the fatness of the land, and the tide with great force has swung around to the left and has already passed through New Mexico and the Indian Territory, and is now spreading its industrial bursts over the rich plains of Mexico.

While this western current of population is marching eastward another current is flowing southward through the Virginias, Tennessee, Carolinas, Georgia and Alabama—so that now the South is enjoying two great currents of population, which, when they meet, will form such a flood-tide as will boom the South from the Potomac to the Rio Grande.

This great army that moves the centre of population, and is now marching southward, contains some of the most eminent men of the age—scholars in literature, masters of physics, experts in science, and versed in industrial arts—lawyers, doctors, ministers and inventors. They go to stay; the object is to possess the land. During the next thirty years the population of the South will be increased more than 40,000,000. They will bridge the rivers, tunnel the mountains and railroad the plains like cobwebs. They will swarm in the valleys, climb the hills, build towns and scatter industrial shops wherever they go. They will develop the mines, smelt the ores, convert the metal into useful forms, and will make more steel in the South in the next thirty years than has been made in all this country for the last thirty years. The leaders of this great industrial host feed on the fat of the land. They are intellectually, physically and financially strong, and may be seen riding in palace cars upholstered like unto the the palaces of the gods.

Yes, within the next thirty years more than 40,000,000 souls will find a home in the South—20,000,000 more than live there now. Let the issues of the past go with the men who made them. A new era has dawned upon the South; let every person awake and enjoy himself, for there is music in the air, and all business enterprises judiciously managed will pay, and the whole country will glow with prosperity as the years of the next decade come and go.

Chance for a Speculation.

Now don't all run at once for your wallets and check-books! It isn't corner lots in Chicago, Minneapolis, Kansas City, or the "Future Great." It isn't options on wheat, corn, pork or lard, nor "puts" or "calls" on Northwesterns or Southwesterns, nor yet is it gas, oil, telegraph or telephone stock. It is better than any or all of these. It is a deposit in the *Bank of Health*, which every one can make by the purchase and use of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets in all cases of chronic constipation, biliousness, dyspepsia, headache, "liver complaint," and the like. Sold the world over.

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FROM THE CHRISTIAN ADVOATCE.

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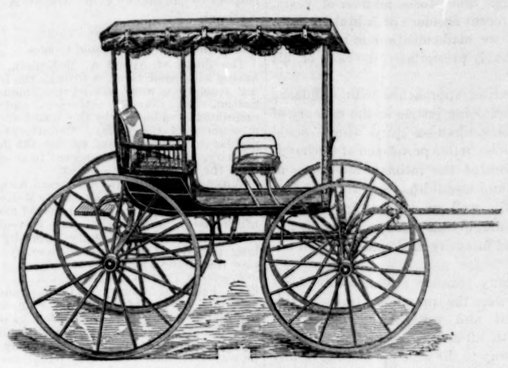

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It is impossible for us to enumerate or give prices in a short advertisement, but

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Don't buy until you have seen our Stock.

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THE RACKET.
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Nov. 12, 1889. tf

Executor's Notice.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING THIS DAY qualified as Executor of the last will and testament of Archibald Buie, dec'd, hereby gives notice to all parties having claims against said estate to present them on or before the 13th day of December, 1890, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to said estate will come forward and make immediate payment.

JAMES A. BUIE, Executor.
JOHN G. SHAW, Attorney.
December 7, 1889. 6t

Land Mortgage Sale.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage executed on the 22nd of January, 1883, by J. C. Poe and wife M. J. Poe to S. J. Hinsdale, and duly proved and recorded in Cumberland County Registry in Book Y, No. 3, page 202, I will expose to public sale at the Market House in Fayetteville, N. C., for cash, the J. C. Poe plantation, known as "Whippoorwill", some two miles from town on Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railway, containing 88 acres in two adjoining tracts of 76 acres and 12 acres—on which is a good dwelling with all necessary outhouses and an excellent vineyard.

Time of sale: Saturday, 18th of January, 1890, at 12 o'clock M SAMUEL J. HINLDALE, Mortgagee.

R. P. BUXTON, Attorney.
Fayetteville, N. C., Dec. 17, 1889.

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March 7, 1889.

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Wilmington & Weldon R. R.

AND BRANCHES.

Condensed Schedule.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

Dated Sept. 6, 1889.	No. 23, Daily.	No. 27, Daily.
Leave Weldon	12 40 P. M.	5 43 P. M.
Arrive Rocky Mount	1 55 "	
Arrive Tarboro	*3 55 P. M.	
Leave Tarboro	10 20 A. M.	
Arrive Wilson	2 27 P. M.	7 00 P. M.
Leave Wilson	*2 37 "	
Arrive Selma	3 40 "	
Arrive Fayetteville	6 00 "	
Leave Goldsboro	3 20 "	7 40 "
Leave Warsaw	4 16 "	
Leave Magnolia	4 30 "	8 40 P. M.
Arrive Wilmington	6 00 "	9 55 P. M.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

	No. 78, Daily.	No. 14, Daily.
Leave Wilmington	9 00 A. M.	12 05 A. M.
Leave Magnolia	10 43 "	1 24 "
Leave Warsaw	10 57 "	
Arrive Goldsboro	11 52 "	2 25 A. M.
Leave Fayetteville	*8 40 A. M.	
Arrive Selma	11 00 "	
Arrive Wilson	12 10 P. M.	
Leave Wilson	12 45 P. M.	3 02 A. M.
Arrive Rocky Mount	1 20 "	
Arrive Tarboro	*3 55 "	
Leave Tarboro	10 20 A. M.	
Arrive Weldon	2 40 P. M.	4 30 A. M

*Daily except Sunday.

Train on Scotland Neck Branch Road leaves Halifax 2:30 P M, arrives Scotland Neck at 4:00 P M, Riverton 6:50 P M. Returning, leaves Riverton 7:00 A M, Scotland Neck at 10:10 A M, daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N C, via Albemarle & Raleigh R R Daily except Sunday, 5:05 P M, Sunday 3:17 P M, arrive Williamston N C, 7:20 P M, 4.55 P M. Returning, leaves Williamston, N C, Daily except Sunday, 7:10 A M, Sunday 9:50 A M, Arrive Tarboro N C, 9:15 A M, 11:30 A M.

Train on Midland N C Branch leaves Goldsboro, N C, Daily except Sunday, 6:00 A M, arrive Smithfield, N C, 7:30 A M. Returning, leaves Smithfield, N C, 8:00 A M, arrive Goldsboro, N C, 9:30 A M.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 3:00 P M, arrives Nashville 3:40 P M, Spring Hope 4:15 P M. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 10:00 A M, Nashville 10:35 A M, arrive Rocky Mount 11:15 A M, daily, except Sunday.

Train on Clinton branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton, Daily, except Sunday, at 6:00 P M and 11:10 A M. Returning, leaves Clinton at 8:20 A M and 3:10 P M, connecting at Warsaw with Nos 41, 40, 23 and 78.

Southbound Train on Wilson & Fayetteville Branch is No 51. orthbound is No 50. *Daily except Sunday.

Train No 27 South will stop only at Wilson, Goldsboro and Magnolia.

Train No 78 makes close connection at Weldon for all points North daily. All rail via Richmond, and daily except Sunday via Bay Line.

Trains make close connection for all points North via Richmond and Washington.

All Trains run solid between Wilmington and Washington, and have Pullman Palace Sleepers attached.

J. R. KENLEY, Sup't Trans. JOHN F. DIVINE, General Sup't.
T. M. EMERSON, Gen'l Passenger Agent.

Carolina Central Railroad Company,

Change of Schedule.

WESTBOUND TRAINS.

June 2, 1889.	No. 41. Daily ex. Sunday.	No. 51. Daily ex. Sunday.	No. 5. Daily ex. Sunday.
L've Wilm'g'n	2.20 p. m.	7.30 p. m.	
L've Hamlet	6.45 p. m.	2.00 a. m.	
L've Wad'boro	7.39 p. m.	3.15 a. m.	
A've Charl't'e	9.35 p. m.	6.10 a. m.	
L've Charl't'e			4.15 p. m.
L've Lincoln'n			5.51 p. m.
L've Shelby			6.57 p. m.
Ar've Ruth'f'n			8.20 p. m.

EASTBOUND TRAINS.

June 2, 1889.	No. 38. Daily ex. Sunday.	No. 54. Daily ex. Sunday.	No. 6. Daily ex. Sunday.
L've Ruth'f'n			8.00 a. m.
L've Shelby			9.22 a. m.
L've Lincoln'n			10.30 a. m.
Ar've Charl't'e			12.05 p. m.
L've Charlo'te	5.15 a. m.	8.30 p. m.	
L've Wad'boro	7.08 a. m.	11.38 p. m.	
L've Hamlet	8.20 a. m.	1.45 a. m.	
Ar've Wil'm'n	12.30 p. m.	7.45 a. m.	

Trains Nos. 41 ank 38 make close connection at Hamlet, between Charlotte and points North via Raleigh.

Trains Nos. 51 and 54 make close connection at Hamlet, to and from Raleigh.

Through Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Charlotte and Wilmington and Raleigh.

T. W. WHISNANT, Superintendent.
W. F. Clark, General Passenger Agent.